1	2	3	4	5
25.	Lakshadweep	7.52	39.91	27.75
26.	Delhi	737.49	694.29	516.47
27.	Pondicherry	85.72	55.03	200.64
28.	Arunachal Pradesh	113.41	879.60	461.37
29.	Assam	3066.67	3711.54	3376.61
30.	Manipur	664.58	914.32	926.30
31.	Meghalaya	687.17	1023.42	1007.99
32.	Mizoram	471.24	488.97	535.20
33.	Nagaland	92907	1188.71	991.99
34.	Sikkim	118.48	95.77	64.68
35.	**Tripura**	407.06	707.69	759.54
	TOTAL:	97458.55	151920.57	206231.05

*Upto 2004-05, no separate funds for SNP were released.

Special schemes for old women and widows in rural areas

3696. SHRI TARIQ ANWAR: Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has formulated any special scheme for assistance to old women and widows in rural areas; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY): (a) and (b) The Ministry of Women and Child Development has formulated two schemes namely Swadhar and Short Stay Home for Women & Girls for providing assistance to women in difficult circumstances including destitute old women and widows in rural and urban areas. The details of both schemes are available on the website of the Ministry of Women and Child Development namely www.wcd.nic.in.

The Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment is implementing the Scheme namely Integrated Programme for Older Persons under which grant in aid is given for maintenance of Old Age Homes, Day Care Centres and Mobile Medicare Units for the welfare of older persons including old women and widows. The details of scheme are available on the website of the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment namely *www. socialjustice. nic. in.*